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: Local and General :

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Mrs. G. Murdoch arrived home
on Tuesday last, after spending a
couple of months visiting her par-
ents at the coast.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. Purvis were
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If you miss the "Olde Tyme"
Concert at the United Church, on
Tuesday, March 17th, you will be
sorry. It is the Entertainment of
the year.

Remember the date St. Patrick's
night.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION.

Sunday, March 8th, 1926.
8 30 a.m. Holy Communion.
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Prayer, Sermon
and Holy Communion.
Special Mid-Week Lent Services,
Subject:
"Some Women of the Bible"
March 11th, "Hannah"
" 18th, "Ruth"
" 25th, "Virgin Mary"
April 1st, "Martha and Mary"
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Rev. H. Clay.

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1 p.m. Young Men's Bible Class
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Subject:
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By Order of the Village Council.
W. McRory, Sec.-Treas.

Crossfield School District No. 752

The REGULAR MEETINGS of the above School Board will be held in the Drug Store, Crossfield, at 8 p.m., on the second Monday of each month.


Ratepayers are invited to be present at these meetings.

All matters of business pertaining to this district will be attended to at this meeting.

The office of the Sec.-Treas. is in the Crossfield Drug Store.

A. W. GORDON, Chairman,
Merrick Thomas, Sec.-Treas.



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No.  42

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

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

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
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LOCAL AND GENERAL

The Inverlea Ladies Aid are having a Chicken Supper and Sale of Work at Inverlea School, Friday, March 6th. Supper to be served from six to eight o'clock, after which a short program will be rendered. Admission: Adults 50 cents Children 25 cents.

We understand the contract for the building of the new hotel in town has been secured by Mr. B. Scanlon, of Medicine Hat. He is the man who built the new Bank of Commerce here recently.

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WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN

Issued by Publicity Commissioner
Government of Alberta,
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Natural Resources Settlement.

Announcement that the Alberta Government had accepted the offer of the Federal Government with respect to the return of the natural resources to provincial control, was made in the Legislature during the past week by Premier Greenfield. The basis of settlement is that the province will take over the remaining resources, and will receive a payment of the amount of the present subsidy for three years. The agreement is subject to authorization by both the Federal Parliament and the Provincial Legislature.

Money for Railway Extensions.

The Provincial Legislature will be asked to vote the sum of \$250,000 for the twenty miles extension proposed to be built to the Lacombe and Northwestern Railway. The sum of \$130,000 will also be asked for maintenance and upkeep and equipment on the A. and G.W. line, which may or may not be required. Last year the Legislature voted \$184,000 for this purpose, but none of it was required. This year a smaller sum is being asked.

Transcontinental Phone Connection.

It will not be long before Alberta people will be able to hold phone communication with New York, San Francisco, and other points in the United States. Within the next three months, connection will be established between the Alberta Government phone system and the Transcontinental phone system in the States, by means of three long distance lines which are to be brought to the southern border of the province by way of the Mountain States phone system in Montana. This will provide almost continent-wide phone connection for Alberta.

Important Discovery by Alberta Doctor.

Further developments in the research work at the University of Alberta, have recently been revealed. Dr. J. B. Collip, co-discoverer of insulin, at a recent meeting in Washington of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, read a paper dealing with a new and important discovery, extracting from the parathyroid gland a substance of great medicinal value. In this connection the following facts have been made known.

A considerable number of physiologists and biochemists have

been for a number of years working on the parathyroid gland in hope they might extract from it the substance which it was believed to contain which would have a regulatory effect in connection with certain diseases. Last October, after intensive work and study, Dr. Collip succeeded in getting out this substance which, as experiments proved, has the same relation to the calcium content in the blood as insulin has to the sugar content. After exhaustive tests Dr. Collip proved the efficacy of the extract thus made on animals. Later he reported to the Canadian Medical Journal a very remarkable result from the application of it in the case of tetany in a child who was brought into the laboratory in a very rigid condition and who was immediately relieved by the use of the material. At present the clinical effect of the material is being tested by some of the leading clinicians on the North American continent, including those at the University of Alberta, McGill University, University of Toronto, Manitoba University, and Johns Hopkins University. The material for the purpose is being supplied from the University of Alberta.

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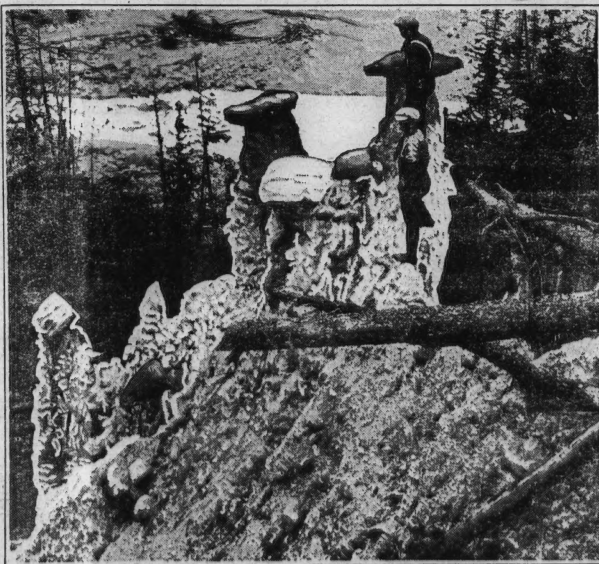
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WHERE A MISSTEP MIGHT MEAN DEATH



THE Hoodoos on the Cavell Motor Highway, Jasper National Park, curious stone figures brought into being by the erosion of the earth under the constant wearing effects of air and water, draw exclamations of wonder from thousands of tourists who visit the largest of Canada's National Parks every year.

Huge flat stones, balanced as hats, atop the pinnacles of earth which have stood up firmly when the mountain side all around them crumbled or was washed away by the rushing waters, seem as though

the slightest breath of wind would be sufficient to send them hurtling to the bottom of the valley hundreds of feet below. A favorite sport with the tourist is to drop large stones on the hoodoos and see them away back and forth drunkenly, yet finally regain their poise and remain balanced as firmly as before.

The tourist in the photograph who was bold enough to scramble down and use one of the flat stones for a table on which to rest his arms, had a strenuous climb be-

fore he again regained the level surface of the Cavell Highway, which winds up from the Athabasca Valley almost to the foot of the glacier of the Ghost, that peculiar age-old formation of ice and snow which hangs on the wide stretches of Mount Edith Cavell.

Visitors to Jasper Park Lodge may travel by motor or saddle horse from the Lodge to the foot of Mount Cavell or any of the other mountains surrounding the log cabin hostelry of the Canadian National Railways.

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"CAPTAIN BLOOD," a Viagraph picture with J. Warren Kerrigan in the title role, is an adaptation of this thrilling novel.

SYNOPSIS

Peter Blood, a young Irish physician, is wrongly condemned as a rebel against King James and is deported to Bridgetown in Barbadoes. There he is captured by a Colonel Bishop, military commander, at the behest of Arabella, the Colonel's niece. A Spanish captain, the Cinco Ligas, under command of Don Diego de Espinosa y Valdez, captures the city. While the Spaniards sack the city, Blood sends Mary and Arabella back to the city to safety. He leads his fellow rebels-convinced on board the ship and captures it. Colonel Bishop goes on board and Blood holds the military commander as hostage while the ship puts out of port and sends Bishop over the gangplank. Don Diego, taken prisoner, is told by Blood to sail the ship to Curacao, a Dutch settlement, in return for his liberty. Jeremy Pitt, who had studied navigation, suspects Don Diego is betraying them.

CHAPTER XI.—Continued

He rose, relinquishing the Spaniard to his men. "Make him fast," he bade them. "Truss him, wrist and heel, but don't hurt him—not so much as a hair of his precious head."

Captain Blood regarded him steadily out of a face which, if impassive, had paled under its deep tan. About the prisoner, clamant, infuriated, ferocious, the rebels-convict surged, almost literally "sailing" for his blood.

"Wait," Captain Blood imperiously commanded, and turning on his heel, he went aside to the rail. "As he stood there deep in thought, he was joined by Hagithorpe, Wolvenstone, and Ogile the gunner, who all three stared with him across the water at that other ship.

"In less than half-an-hour," said Blood presently, "we shall have her seaward our hawse, sweeping our decks with her guns."

TO EXPECTANT MOTHERS

Letter from Mrs. Ayars Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Helped Her

Spring Valley, Sask.—"I took the Vegetable Compound before my last confinement, when I got to feeling so badly that I could not sleep nights, my back ached so across hips, and I could hardly do my work during the day. I never had such an easy confinement and this is my sixth baby. I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the 'Farmer's Telegram' and wrote you for one of your books. We have no druggists in our town, but I saw your medicine in 'T. Eaton's' catalogue. I am a farmer's wife, so have all kinds of work to do inside and outside the house. My baby is a nice healthy girl, who weighed nine pounds at birth. I am feeling fine after putting in a large garden since baby came. (She is as good as she can be.) Yours is the best medicine for women and I have told about it and even written to my friends about it."—Mrs. ANNIE E. AYARS, Spring Valley, Sask.

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that here all is not as it should be. Sooner or later, she must guess or discover what is wrong, and then she will open fire or lay up board and boards. Understand this clearly: to the first shot from the Encarnacion this gun will fire the answer. I make myself clear, I hope!"

"But, name of God, how should it be clear?" young Espinosa cried. "Can you avert the fight? If you know a way, and if I, or these, can help you to it in Heaven's name let me hear it."

"A fight would be averted if Don Diego de Espinosa were to go aboard his brother's ship, and by his presence and assurances inform the Admiral that all is well with the Cinco Ligas. But Don Diego cannot go in person, because he has a slight touch of fever—shall we say? But you, his son, may convey all this and some other matters together with his homage to your uncle. You shall go in the boat of the Cinco Ligas. By your recent raid—will accompany you to keep you in countenance. If I return alive, and without accident of any kind to hinder our free sailing hence, Don Diego shall have his life, as shall every one of you. But if there is the least misadventure, be it from treachery or ill-fortune—I care not which—the battle as I have had the honor to explain, will be opened on our side by this gun, and your father will be the first victim of the conflict."

Don Esteban gazed wildly a moment upon the shoulders of his father. But his father remained silent. "Something like a sob escaped the boy."

"I . . . I accept," he answered at last, and swung to the Spaniards.

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CHAPTER XVII.

Don Pedro Sangre

The Cinco Ligas and the Encarnacion, after a proper exchange of signals, lay hove to within a quarter of a mile of each other, and across the intervening space of gently heaving, sunlit waters sped a boat from the former, manned by six Spanish seamen and bearing in their stern sheets Don Esteban de Espinosa and Captain Peter Blood.

She also bore two treasure-chests containing fifty thousand pieces of eight. Gold has at all times been considered the best of testimonies of good faith. Blood carried forth a bulky package addressed to a gentleman of Spain, heavily sealed with the arms of Espinosa—another piece of evidence hastily manufactured in the cabin of the Cinco Ligas. Up the ladder went Don Esteban closely followed by Captain Blood. In the waist stood the Admiral himself to receive them, a handsome, self-sufficient man, very tall and stiff, a little older and grayer than Don Diego, whom he closely resembled. He was supported by four officers and a friar in the black and white habit of St. Dominic.

Don Miguel opened his arms to his nephew, whose lingering panic he mistook for pleasurable excitement.

"But where is my brother? Why has he not come himself, to greet me?"

"My father is afflicted and denying himself that honor and pleasure. It is a little fever, the result of a slight wound taken in the recent raid upon Barbadoes, which resulted in this gentleman's happy deliverance."

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"Nay, nephew, nay," Don Miguel protested with ironic repudiation. "I can have no knowledge of these things. I have the honor to represent upon the seas His Catholic Majesty, who is at peace with the King of England. Already you have told me more than it is good for me to know." But he winked into the twinkling eyes of Captain Blood. "But since Diego cannot come to me, why, I will go across to him."

(To be continued)

Fast Time
"Waal, Zek, what kind of time did ya have in the city?"
"Oh, that darn old daylight savin'."

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FORKE WANTS A NATIONAL POLICY FOR ALL CANADA

Ottawa.—In his speech in the debate on the address in reply to the speech from the throne, Robert Forke, Progressive leader, said he was of the opinion that through the development of private enterprises and public utilities rather than through the passage of legislation which met the mood of the moment and too often was forgotten as soon as it was on the statute books, would bring Canada out "of the land of bondage into the land of progress." It was not possible to leave the national problems entirely to the government to solve. It was a task for all Canadians to face and help overcome.

Referring to the speech of the premier and the leader of the opposition, Mr. Forke said they furnished an interesting study in extremes of mood. Both attitudes were unsound. He referred to the manifesto issued by Mr. McLaughlin as a most happy document, and described "his solution as something like a Christmas tree—something on it for everyone." No amount of reasoning or argument could convince the people living on the prairies that protection would prove of any use to them. The much talked of home market would not solve the problem for the western wheat producer. "We want a national policy for all the people of Canada from the Atlantic to the Pacific."

Disagree On One Point

France Not Ready to Consider Debts and Reparations Separately

Paris.—The official impression of note on the inter-allied debt question from Winston Churchill, British chancellor of the exchequer, is more favorable than the opinion of the document expressed by the French newspapers, editorially, it was said in circles near Premier Herriot. The British suggestions are regarded as very generous and as presenting only one important difficulty, that involved in the separation of debts from reparations. It was declared.

The country, in the opinion of official circles, is not yet ready for consideration of these two questions separately. This, it was intimated, is the only point that prevents immediate acceptance of Mr. Churchill's note as the basis for a settlement of France's debts to Great Britain.

Rate Discrimination

Higher Westward Freight Rate Not Justified Says D'Arcy Scott

Vancouver, B.C.—There was no justification for a higher freight rate westward than eastward, even on products intended for export, D'Arcy Scott, K.C., former assistant chief commissioner of the board of railway commissioners, told the members of the board of trade here.

Cost of operation on the lines westward from the prairie provinces was not any higher than on the eastward lines and grades were lower, Mr. Scott declared.

Turkish Deputy Shot In Assembly

Constantinople.—During an argument in the Turkish National Assembly, Halil Pasha, deputy for Aardahan, drew a revolver and fired several times at Deputy Ali of Adum Khar, who was slightly wounded. Immediately afterward, Deputy Halil was himself seriously wounded by a shot fired by an unidentified person.

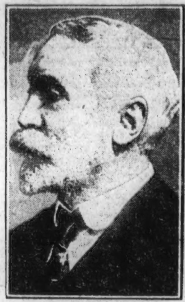
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Negotiate Security Pact



LORD D'ABERNON

British Ambassador to Germany, whose visit to Chancellor Luther is understood to have been in connection with the negotiation of a security pact.

Progressive Member Would Put Ban On Horse Racing

Ottawa.—Horse racing will be brought up in the House of Commons again this session by W. G. Good, Progressive, Brant, who has given notice of a resolution which reads: "That the special privilege now given to racing associations, under the Criminal Code, of entering on public gambling operations in connection with their race meetings, is detrimental to the best interests of Canada, and should be abolished."

Protest From British Farmers

Claim U.S. Bacon Floods Market As "Best Quality" Canadian

London.—On the contention that they are being "hoodwinked" to the tune of 25,000,000 pounds of bacon a year—bacon which is cured in the United States and sent to Canada and then re-exported to England as "best quality Canadian"—the National Farmers' Union of Great Britain has started a movement here to put an end to the practice.

It is understood here that the Canadian Government has been requested by various organizations to create a distinctive brand which is to be placed on all exportable bacon from Canada in the future.

The Farmers' Union also took a leading hand in bringing about the embargo on American potatoes which became effective some time ago, this action having been taken, it has been explained, to prevent an influx of the Colorado beetle, better known over here as the American potato bug.

Liquor Freight Rates Remain

Ottawa.—In dismissing the complaint of the Manitoba Government control commission against certain commodities on license, wines and spirits, the board of railway commissioners stated, in a judgment made public here, that no good reason has been established in evidence as to why liquor should be given a different treatment as to rate basis from other commodities.

Building Decreased Last Year

Ottawa.—According to revised statistics of building permits, furnished the Dominion Bureau of Statistics by 60 cities, construction work was slightly less active in 1924 than in 1923, or 1922. The building in those cities during 1924 was valued at \$323,731, 196, in 1923 at \$135,201,347, and 1922 at \$117,962,173.

Debaters Travel In Storage

Honolulu.—The Oxford University debaters, headed by Malcolm Macdonald, son of the former British premier, arrived here in storage, because there were no other accommodations available when the vessel left San Francisco, and they did not wish to postpone their departure.

Would Deport Criminals

Washington.—Deportation of all aliens convicted of violating the national prohibition, narcotic or white slave laws is provided in a bill passed by the house. The vote was 213 to 39. Measure was framed by Rep. Holaday, of Illinois, Republican. It now goes to the senate.

Allocate Proceeds of Fine Imposed On Egypt

London.—The House of Commons has accorded the government formal sanction for the disposition of the £500,000 fine imposed on Egypt for the murder of the Sirdar, Major General Sir Lee Stack. Arthur Chamberlain, secretary for foreign affairs, announced that £400,000 had been paid to the Sirdar's widow as compensation; £75,000 to the Sirdar's aide camp, Major P. K. Campbell; £30,000 to the Sirdar's chauffeur, also wounded. The remainder is in the hands of the government, to be applied to benevolent objects in the Sudan.

Armenian Charged With Fraud and Conspiracy

Mounted Police Have Uncovered Plot to Smuggle Undesirables

Ottawa.—A conspiracy involving fraud and impersonation against the department of the secretary of state, immigration and colonization and external affairs, in illegally obtaining certificates of naturalization, passports and immigration permits for the entry of relatives or friends of foreigners from Armenia and other countries, has just been uncovered by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

As a result of investigation by the police, G. H. Alexander, an Armenian, was arrested at Galt, Ont., and appeared in the Ottawa police court on a charge of conspiracy. He pleaded not guilty, elected to be tried by a jury and will come up again for preliminary hearing.

Officer Is Promoted

Supt. Knight of R.C.M.P. Obtains Rank Of Assistant Commissioner

Ottawa.—Announcement is made of the promotion of Superintendent R. S. Knight, Canadian Mounted Police officer commanding in British Columbia, to the rank of assistant commissioner. The promotion dates from January 1, 1925.

Assistant Commissioner Knight joined the force in May, 1890, and during his career has served at Regina, in the Yukon, at Winnipeg, and with the Royal Canadian Mounted Police squadron in Siberia.

Australia Not Helping Aliens

Premier Bruce States Government Offers Them No Encouragement

Melbourne.—Replying to the Victorian Government's protest against the unrestricted immigration of Southern Europeans, Federal Prime Minister Bruce laid stress on the fact that no encouragement or assistance had been offered to aliens.

The Federal Government, he added, had announced recently that it desired to limit the issue of passport visas to Greeks and Jews to 100 a month for each nationality.

Shoulder Blade Of Mammoth

London.—While digging next to the Belgrave Hospital for Children in Clapham Road, workmen found a large fan-shaped bone six feet below the surface. An expert from the National History Museum pronounced the bone the shoulder blade of a mammoth belonging to the pleistocene period of approximately 10,000 years ago.

Lunched With His Majesty

London.—Frank B. Kellogg, has presented his letter of recall from the post of American ambassador to King George. The King and the ambassador exchanged farewells and then set out to "Anchorage" in "Buckingham Palace."

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Withdraws From Opium Conference



STEPHEN G. PORTER

who withdrew from the conference, together with other members of the American delegation, from the international opium conference.

League May Meet In Canada

Suggestion Made to Hold Session of League of Nations at Ottawa

Geneva.—The idea of holding some future assembly of the League of Nations in Canada, presumably Ottawa, is being quietly broached at Geneva. The suggestion originated with Sir Herbert Ames, Canadian director of the league's finances, and it is said it is adopted it would have the hearty support of the Canadian Government and the British dominions.

So far, the project has merely reached the unofficial stage of suggestion, but it is understood the delegates of many countries have privately approved the plan. One thought expressed is that the convocation of the assembly in Canada would bring the workings of the league home to the people of the United States, as well as the Canadian people.

China Withdraws From Opium Conference

Failure of Attempt to Suppress Opium Smoking Is Reason Given

Geneva.—The Chinese delegation withdrew from the first or far eastern opium conference when that body was brought together again to reconsider its findings.

In his letter to the conference, the chief Chinese delegate, S. Alfred See, said the withdrawal was due to the conference's failure to adopt a system for the suppression of opium smoking in the Far East.

The Chinese have now withdrawn from both the bodies which were convened in Geneva to deal with the opium and narcotic drug evil. Mr. See left the international opium conference, February 7.

Latvia Passes Liquor Law

Riga, Latvia.—The anti-liquor wave is sweeping over Latvia. A law has been passed which is tantamount to prohibition, and it has been seized upon by the city authorities of Riga to descend upon some 50 hotels and restaurants on the grounds that they were selling liquor. The city fathers are now considering whether these places should not be made to close down for good.

Archuth's Title Officially Announced

London.—The official gazette announced the issuance of letters patent, dated February 9, conferring the dignity of a viscount and earl of the United Kingdom upon Herbert Archuth, and his lawful heirs, by the titles of Viscount Archuth or Morley, in the west riding of Yorkshire, and the Earl of Oxford and Archuth.

Greece Appeals to League

Geneva.—Greece has appealed to the League of Nations against the action of Turkey in expelling the Most Rev. Constantinos, patriarch of the Greek Catholic Church, from Constantinople, claiming that this action endangers the friendly relations between the two countries.

Cable Connection With Italy

Rome.—The completion of the cable between Italy and America was announced in the senate by Minister of Communications Ciano. The announcement was greeted with loud applause by the whole senate, which rose to its feet cheering.

C.N.R. TO SPEND EIGHT MILLIONS ON BRANCH LINES

Ottawa.—The Canadian National Railways expended \$1,650,751 on branch lines construction work in the calendar year of 1924. The estimated expenditure on branch lines in 1925 is \$8,766,285. The whole programme of the Canadian National Railways involves the construction of 548 miles at an authorized expenditure of \$15,168,000.

The report of the department of railways tabled in the House of Commons gives full details of all work done on all branch lines.

A total of 91.5 miles of track were laid; 38.5 miles were ballasted; a proportionate amount of grading work was carried out, and 72 miles of telegraph lines were added to the system. The greatest progress was made on the Peebles, Sask., Prince Albert northeast, Sask., Gravelbourg, Sask., St. Rose Du Lac, Manitoba, and Grande, Quebec, branches. Some further work, which will practically complete these branches is provided for in 1925.

Russia Needs Flour

Failure of Crop Giving Soviet Government Grave Concern

Moscow.—With the failure of this year's crops the question of providing flour for Russia's millions of population is giving the Soviet Government increasing concern. Renewed orders are being placed abroad to meet the acute shortage of grain at home. With the exception of the Caucasus area, Russia had an unusually mild and irregular winter this year, affecting crops adversely. The absence of snow and moisture has caused heavy sown areas to perish.

It was announced at a meeting of the government's central executive committee that Russia had spent 70,000,000 gold rubles in providing the population with sowing material for the next harvest.

Characterized As Political Sop

Ontario Beer Proposal Criticized By Toronto Globe

Toronto.—Commenting on the stronger beer proposal introduced in the legislature, the Toronto Globe said:

"The announcement is easily the most sensational that has come from Queen's Park in many a long day. The whole question of prohibition and perhaps more important, the matter of a premier's pledged word, are thrown into the political cauldron."

The Globe contends that the proposed legislation violates the basic principle of the temperance law and characterizes it as "a political sop" thrown to the "wets" in the Conservative party.

Silver Coins For Russia

Moscow.—Ten million dollars' worth of silver coins made in Great Britain for the Soviet Government, have been placed in circulation. Orders were given at the same time to the state mint at Leningrad for a supply of gold chronettes, which heretofore have been issued only in paper.

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Camera And Radio Are Of Great Assistance To Work Of Making Surveys In Canada

The radio, the camera and the aeroplane have revolutionized surveying in Canada, according to Fred V. Seibert, of the Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior, before the Camera Club of Chicago recently. For a number of years the camera has been used extensively on Dominion land surveys in mapping out the rugged and in some cases inaccessible portions of the Rocky Mountains, securing a mass of detail correct in every respect that could be secured in no other way. Since the war the aeroplane has been instrumental in extending the camera's use for mapping purposes into the unexplored regions of the north. Within the last two years many lakes upon whose shores the foot of white man has never trod have been accurately mapped from the air with the aid of the camera.

The radio is being used extensively at the outposts of civilization and in the unexplored regions as far north as the Arctic in securing time signals for the purpose of determining longitude. Longitude determinations under the old system were very difficult and lacking in accuracy in regions not served by the wire telegraph system. They are now a simple operation, due entirely to the development of the radio.

The Dominion land surveyor has been a pioneer in putting the radio to practical use. Years ago, before the city resident was receiving his evening concert and stock reports from the air, surveyors were receiving time signals on the shores of the Mackenzie River and the Arctic coast from high-powered stations to the north. Occasionally he took time to decipher the news dispatches, getting news of the last prize fight, ball games or what someone had to say about the League of Nations before the man on the street in civilization even read it in the newspaper or saw it on the bulletin board.

Last summer, Mr. Blanchet, D.L.S., of the Canadian topographical surveys, when working on Great Slave Lake, and finding it impossible to land, erected an aerial between two juddies held up at the ends of his sixteen-foot canoe. From this he received the midday time signal from Annapolis, Maryland, and so checked the error of his chronometer.

Although the time of transmission of electric signals on telegraph lines is of the order of 10,000 miles per second, the speed of wireless signals is very materially greater, so that for ordinary distances the time is a negligible quantity, 136,000 miles per second.

Stations from which signals have been received on exploratory surveys in the north are Annapolis, Barbos (Panama), San Diego, San Francisco, Honolulu, Corlie (Philippine Islands), while the head office at Ottawa recorded daily Bordeaux (France), Annapolis, San Diego and San Francisco. By intercomparison of the same signals in the north and at Ottawa, with their respective clock corrections, the longitude of the different points in the north are obtained, which, it may be stated, are materially different from those shown on the maps before the observation.

Indians Are Good Farmers

896,464 Bushels of Grain Grown on Indian Lands in 1924

Total production of grain of all kinds on Indian lands during 1924 was 896,464 bushels, according to a report of the department of the Indian Affairs. Of the total 460,024 bushels were wheat. Other grains produced last year are as follows: 232,639 bushels of oats and 72,377 bushels of barley. In addition some 50,000 bushels of potatoes were raised and 65,000 tons of hay were cut and put up for the winter.

The most valuable result of education is the ability to make yourself do the thing you ought to do, when it ought to be done, whether you like to do it or not.

Australia is slightly larger than the United States in size and has a population of five and one-half millions.

W. N. U. 1564

Neutralizing Cream For Buttermaking

Churning Pasteurized Cream Causes Loss of Butterfat

Dairy scientists have demonstrated the fact that the churning of pasteurized cream causes loss of butterfat and gives a poor quality of butter unless the cream has been neutralized in the process of curing. When butter is made from unpasteurized cream, neutralization is unnecessary. Mr. W. F. Jones, chief of the division of dairy manufactures, dairy and cold storage branch, department of agriculture, Ottawa, has prepared a pamphlet on this subject, designated Pamphlet No. 62, New Series.

The process of neutralization is not one that can be carelessly carried out, as it requires an intelligent observance of the details of testing cream for acidity, preparation of neutralizing solution and its application, determination of the required amount, and the temperature of the cream when adding the neutralizer.

Four neutralizing agents are recognized and their properties and application described. These are quick lime, hydrated lime, sodium bicarbonate (baking soda), and a commercial product known as wyandotte.

This pamphlet, which is available at all publications branch, department of agriculture, Ottawa, will be found particularly useful to creamery butter-makers.

Vegetable Cultivation in the West

Information Regarding Cultivation Of Thirty Different Varieties

Mr. W. C. McKillop, superintendent of the Brandon, Man., experimental farm, who recently gave us through the department of agriculture at Ottawa, a bulletin on "Experiments with Wheat," covering a period of over thirty years, has now, in conjunction with Mr. J. H. Cooper, head gardener at Brandon, produced a bulletin, No. 43, on "The Prairie Farmer's Vegetable Garden." This publication is equally as comprehensive as the other and contains a vast deal of information regarding the cultivation of some thirty different vegetables, including all the common kinds that supply every man and woman's table. These are divided into five classes, vegetables grown from root or tuber, such as potatoes, beets, turnips, etc.; or on vegetables grown for the stem, asparagus, rhubarb, etc.; vegetables grown for leaf or blossom, cabbage, cauliflower, etc.; vegetables grown for seed or pod, pea, bean, etc.; and vegetables grown for fleshy leaf, cucumber, tomato, etc. "Information as to soil, location and general cultivation is given relative to each of the thirty."

Ships Devoted To Emigrants

German Line Provides First-class Comforts for Third-class Price

A line of one-class passenger ships devoted exclusively to the transportation of emigrants has been inaugurated between European and South American ports by a German steamship company. The first ship of the line to arrive at Buenos Aires brought 1,000 German and other Europeans to Brazil and 1,600 to Argentina. The ship provides first-class comforts and conveniences for the third-class price. She has 250 cabins, accommodating two, four and six persons each, with saloon, smoking room, library, reading room, two large dining rooms, barber shop and baths. She is a motor-propelled ship with a speed of 15 knots.

Own Old Hymn Book

Hymn book, 146 years old, edited by John Wesley and published in 1779, is the property of a resident of Independence, Mass. Most of the hymns in the little volume were written by Charles Wesley. The volume is about 2½ inches by 4 inches in size and is bound in black leather with a small brass clasp like those used on the old Bibles.

Saddest Of All Sadness

"What could be more sad," said the schoolmistress, "than a man without a country?"

"A country without a man," answered the pretty girl.

Extend Farmers' Organization

Suggestion Made That Agriculturists Throughout Dominion Should Merge Into One Solid Body

At the concluding session of the United Farmers' of Quebec convention at Montreal, J. J. Morrison, secretary of the United Farmers of Ontario, suggested it is high time agriculturists throughout the Dominion take advantage of their provincial organizations to merge into one solid body representative of Canada from coast to coast. Farmers, he said, were habitual backbenchers, but there was no reason why they should be. They alone held the wealth of their industry, yet they employed middlemen for marketing purposes. Co-operative selling should be instituted, and the lack of that phase of organization had harmed the industry as a whole.

J. W. Ward, of Winnipeg, secretary of the Canadian council of agriculturists, also emphasized the necessity for pushing co-operative effort to the limit. He announced that, at the next meeting of the council, to be held in Toronto on March 2, the matter would be debated by delegates from Ontario, Quebec, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

Corn In Saskatchewan

Says That Corn Acreage in Province Will Soon Be Doubled in Figures

Predicting the corn acreage in Saskatchewan would soon be doubled, P. Hoffman, president of the Saskatchewan Corn Growers' Association, at the Saskatchewan Dairy Association convention at Prince Albert, urged all dairy farmers to grow corn. The acreage of 80,000 last year was the largest planted in the history of the province. Mr. Hoffman said there was a scarcity of northern grown seed this year. Maple Creek could not begin to fill the demand for 1925. He stated that without corn fodder he would have had to move out of the Maple Creek district. He had produced more dry fodder from ten acres of corn than from 100 acres of oats.

Butter Exports

United Kingdom Is Canada's Best Customer According to Figures

In the calendar year 1924 Canada exported 22,342,393 pounds of butter, worth \$8,000,512, as compared with 12,173,711 pounds, worth \$1,905,608 in 1923 an increase of 9,168,682 pounds in volume and \$1,094,904 in value. The heaviest purchaser of Canadian butter was the United Kingdom, which took 6,195,514 pounds, valued at \$234,332, followed by the United States, which imported 4,825,612 pounds, worth \$211,719. The third heaviest purchaser was Germany, which took 459,648 pounds, valued at \$166,675.

Buy many things you don't need and you may be obliged to sell a few things you do need.

A married woman never thinks of allowing her husband to order her dinner for her in a restaurant.

Attention Is Directed To The Appalling Waste In The Manufacture Of Lumber

Canadian Empire Builder Gone

Forty Years Actively Engaged In Colonization Work

Few men in Canada have been more actively associated with immigration and colonization in the Dominion in the past 40 years than W. D. Scott, formerly federal assistant deputy minister of immigration and colonization, who died in Ottawa on January 27. He was in his 64th year.

Mr. Scott, who was born in Dundas, Ontario, joined the Canadian Pacific Railway as a land agent in Winnipeg in 1881, and sold the first section of C.P.R. land in that year, when the railway ran only as far as Portage la Prairie. Later he was engaged in colonization work with the Canadian Federal Government department of interior and the Manitoba Government. From 1890 to 1907 he was Canadian exhibition commissioner in Paris, Glasgow, London, Wolverhampton and Cork. On his return to Canada in 1902 he was appointed federal superintendent of immigration. In 1919 he was made assistant deputy minister. He retired on June 30, 1924, owing to poor health.

During the 43 years he was connected with immigration work over 5,100,000 new settlers came to Canada from various countries.

Citrus Fruits and Milk

Lemon or Orange Juice Renders Milk More Digestible

There is a popular misconception in many minds about the acid quality of the citrus fruits, especially when they are given to children taking a large quantity of milk in the diet. An article published in the May 17 issue of the Journal of the American Medical Association under the title, "The Value of Milk Acidified with Lemon Juice," states "Lemon juice or orange juice can be added directly to cow's milk without bringing about curdling. In this way cow's milk is rendered more digestible."

Feed Buttermilk to Hogs

Saskatchewan Co-operative Creameries Decide on This Experiment

The directors of the Saskatchewan Co-operative Creameries, Limited, have decided to experiment with the feeding of hogs on buttermilk at one of the smaller plants operated by the company.

It was also decided to investigate the advisability of purchasing cows for patrons by experimenting along this line at one of the smaller locations.

The necessary equipment to enable the company to conduct a retail and wholesale milk and cream business at Saskatoon was decided upon.

At the recent meeting of the Canadian Society of Forest Engineers a matter of supreme importance to Canadian industry was discussed, that of waste in lumber manufacture. Mr. W. Kynoch, superintendent of the forest products laboratories of the department of the interior, brought up the subject, and made the statement that the waste involved in the use and manufacture of forest products is tremendous. Waste in production of lumber, in cutting or making various wood goods, and waste through decay were some of the chief items of wood waste emphasized.

In a report by H. D. Craig, on the forests of British Columbia, the writer deals with the waste of forest products as follows:

"The waste in the manufacture of lumber in this province is appalling to one accustomed to more conservative methods. Huge slabs of absolutely clear wood, 3 to 6 inches thick, are sent to the fuel pile, and ends of boards and timbers which could well be used for some purpose are sent to the refuse burner. The barrier is the most complex thing about a British Columbia sawmill. The fire never goes out, and it furnishes a pillar of fire by night and a cloud of smoke by day. Heavy axes are necessary to 'break down' the large logs, but it is not unusual to see one-inch lumber being cut with a saw that takes out a ½ inch to ¾ inch cork cent. It is estimated that at least 25 per cent. of the log is left in the waste, and another 20 to 25 per cent. is wasted in the mill."

Calling attention to wood waste in manufacture, where the consumption of wood is under control is of first importance. Losses by forest fires, by insect and fungus destruction, by wind-throwing, and other causes are already heavy, and more or less beyond control, but when the lumberman and millmen undertake to convert the tree into lumber it should be given the minimum of waste.

Too Much Sectionalism

The East Tries to Enforce Their Ideas on the West

The press of Montreal deplores sectionalism in Canada, and we have been trying to explain to them that it is their own sectionalism they are trying to enforce on the Dominion, although they call it a national policy.

When they say that the west should be reasonable, their idea is, according to the Manitoba Free Press, that the west is under control in views, withdrawal in demand, and oldest that a ponderant eastern opinion upon all points in dispute is right. It adds: "Just let Montreal 'run' Canada without question and 'sectionalism' will cease. We shall then be a 'united' country."

That pretty well sizes up the Montreal view as put forward by the Gazette and Star of that city.—Toronto Star.

Corn Silage

Corn and Sunflower Silage Very Similar in Value for Growing Stock

A test conducted on the Indian Head, Sask., experimental farm of sunflower versus corn silage for hifers showed a trifle in favor of corn, but the superintendent remarks that although the corn silage lot was more thrifty and sleek in appearance, the indications are that the two silages are very similar in value for growing hifers. Both were readily eaten and excellent in quality, the corn being in the late dough stage when cut and the sunflowers about one-half in bloom, the latter being also wilted for two days before being placed in the silo, so that there would be no excess of moisture present.

Left Fortune to Servants

Five servants of Lakewood, N.Y., will share \$107,500 through the will of the late Helen Parish, their mistress. Miss Parish left some thousands of dollars in personal property to these employees.

How some women can ever pretend that they are proud of their maids is a mystery to other women.

Ontario and Quebec Get Together



Lt.-Gov. Cockburn of Ontario with the Aide au Camp to Lt.-Gov. Perreault of Quebec, arrives at the Chateau Frontenac to take part in the Boerne Estemé celebration at Quebec.



MAGIC BAKING POWDER

CONTAINS NO ALUM

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Maj. Borrell, Dartmouth, N.S., wireless operator, established a two-way communication with Mosul, Mesopotamia.

Viscount Astor has introduced a bill in the Lords to permit women who hold peerages in their own right to sit in the House of Lords.

A bill has been introduced in the Ontario House to abolish the agricultural development board and substitute a single commissioner.

Alfred Stark, Skeena, B.C., will ask the house for an inquiry to determine the receipts and expenditures by the Dominion to each province.

The Bracken Government does not intend to hold an election this year, according to an announcement made in the Manitoba Legislature.

At the request of her sister who suffered from an incurable disease, Anna Levesque, of Paris, middle-aged dressmaker, shot and killed Anna, aged 29.

To relieve the French treasury of some of its difficulties, Deputy Louis Lecheur, former minister of commerce, proposes a \$200,000,000 loan abroad.

A committee of the League of Nations has recommended postponing selling an international conference of control of the private manufacture of arms.

A four million dollar loan authorized by the loan act of 1924 and underwritten by the Dominion Securities at 75.25 at five per cent, will be floated in England, according to an announcement.



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W. N. U. 1545

Scientist Has New Idea

Claims Origin of Languages Was Signs Of Zodiac

A new ship was launched recently on the seas of archaeology when Edward C. Givens, astronomer and discoverer of antiquities, asserted he was able to trace the origin of 20 written languages to the signs of the zodiac.

His findings, Mr. Givens declared, proved that astronomy was a religious science familiar to the more intelligent classes of the ancient world upwards of 12,000 years ago; that the Bible, by means of zodiacal symbols, now may be made to reveal many secrets, religious and historical, which hitherto have been locked books; that there has a history going back 6,500 years into a period when its high priests, as revealers of the mysteries of the heavens, were more advanced in some branches of astronomy than the stargazers of today, and that there have been fundamental errors in the rendering by Egyptologists of some of the earliest inscriptions found in Egypt.

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The wonderful comfort and relief you get from even a tiny drop of Nerville will surprise you. Take it in sweetened water; it's not unpleasant. It soothes immediately your feet better. Nerville brings up the gas caused by fermenting food, and at the same time relieves that distressed feeling in the stomach. When colic or cramps strike you at night, when nausea or upset stomach overcomes you, then it is that you'll find Nerville a sure relief. For general use in the family, for emergent illness, always keep Nerville handy on the shelf. Get a 35c. bottle to-day.

Dog Hero Dies At Home

Race With Anti-toxin Through Bilzard Caused Frozen Lungs

Billy, leader of Omaha Kasson's team of Siberian wolves and canine hero in a recent relay race from Ne-nah to Nome with 200,000 units of diphtheria anti-toxin, is dead, according to a report received from Nome.

The report added that Billy and the majority of Kasson's prize team had died from frozen lungs as the result of struggling fifty miles from Bluff to Nome for seven and one-half hours in a blinding blizzard that sent the thermometer down to thirty-five degrees below zero.

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Riches of the Earth

Rich Bodies of Ore Believed to Stretch Across Northern Manitoba

There is a good chance that more than one Cobalt, South Lorrain and Gowdanda remains to be discovered in the widely spread pre-Cambrian area that stretches from Ontario through Northern Manitoba, according to V. V. Corless, prominent Eastern Canadian mining authority, who gave an address at a banquet held under the auspices of the mining bureau of the Winnipeg board of trade.

"Our country's greatest economic need today is more balanced industries, the creation of internal exchange of goods by the development of more varied industries, a happy condition which we never can fully enjoy until we can set in motion the long chain of industries having their starting point in the minerals in the earth's crust," Dr. Corless said.

Won Strange Wager

On a wager of \$150 a man in Los Angeles remained perched for 13 hours on top of a slender flag pole rising 50 feet above a 12-story building.

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Kraft Potato Soup



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Adopt Novel Method

Sink Oil Test Well in City of Medicine Hat

Something new in the way of oil development will be attempted as the result of a plebiscite taken at Medicine Hat, which authorized the closing of a contract with C. E. Roth, of Oklahoma, to drill a 2,200-foot test well in the city.

The municipality will purchase natural gas to the extent of \$75,000 from the well, the most ten years, providing oil is not struck. If the well is a commercial oil producer, the city receives the gas free of charge and turns over \$800,000 of lease to Roth, receiving one per cent royalty on all oil from this and future wells, as well as the natural gas by-product at three cents a thousand cubic feet.

MADE HER BABY PLUMP AND WELL

Nothing makes a mother more grateful than a benefit conferred upon her child. Mothers everywhere who have used Baby's Own Tablets for their children speak in enthusiastic terms of them. For instance, Mrs. Zephern Laviole, Three Rivers, Que., writes:—"Baby's Own Tablets are a wonderful medicine for little ones. They never fail to regulate the baby's stomach and bowels, and make him plump and well. I always keep a box of the Tablets in the house and would advise all mothers to do likewise." Most of the ordinary ailments of childhood arise in the stomach and bowels, and can be quickly banished by Baby's Own Tablets. These Tablets relieve constipation and indigestion, break up colds and simple fevers, expel worms, allay teething pains and promote healthy sleep. They are guaranteed to be free from injurious drugs and are safe even for the youngest and most delicate child. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25c a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

In making a goose nature requires a lot of quills, but a man can make a goose of himself with only one quill.

Children suffering from worms soon show the symptoms, and any mother can detect the presence of these parasites by the writhings and fretting of the child. Until expelled and the system cleared of them, the child cannot regain its health. Miller's worm powders are prompt and efficient, not only for the eradication of worms, but also as a tonic up for children that are run down in consequence.

Shortage of Seed Potatoes
A shortage of seed potatoes in Saskatchewan and throughout the west is indicated in reports received by the markets branch of the department of agriculture.

FACE AFFECTED WITH ECZEMA

Also Behind Ears and On Limbs, Cuticura Heals.

"I was affected with eczema which broke out in a rash. I had it on my face, neck, and ears, and on my limbs. My skin was sore and red and my clothing aggravated it. I looked as if I had been beaten. I could not scratch, and sometimes I could not sleep at night. My face was disfigured."

"I finally read an advertisement for Cuticura Soap and Ointment and sent for a trial sample. I got relief so purchased more, and after treatment with Cuticura Ointment, with the Cuticura Soap, I was healed." (Signed) Miss Arvilla Cryer, 202 Doyle St. N. E., Minneapolis, Minn.

Use Cuticura for all toilet purposes. Sample Free Trial by Mail. Write for it. Send 10c. to J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Try our new Shaving Stick.

Success With Corn

By Jas. D. McGregor, Glenora, Stock Farms, Brandon, Manitoba Part 3

Corn, to make good silage or fodder, should also be practically mature—past the roasting ear stage, the better feed it will make. This generally means, in this section, that we have to leave our corn uncut until the danger of heavy frosts comes on. We find that frosts that early only nip the leaves do not do any great damage to the corn and it will continue to mature. At times though it is a question as to just how much frost would make it advisable to cut the corn. This largely depends on when the frost occurs. We often have our first frost about the first of September and then the weather will warm up and the soil will be no more for perhaps another two weeks or more.

This extra two weeks means a lot to the corn crop. So we generally figure that if the corn is fairly mature at the time the weather warms up and it starts falling the silage, if the corn was green and immature and the early frost only nipped the leaves, and it looked as though there would be no more frost for some time, we let it stand and chances that the further maturing of the corn will more than offset the damage done by the frost. If a heavy frost does come and the corn is killed down to the ear so that the top and leaves would soon dry out and blow away the corn should be cut without any delay and stacked or put into the silo as soon as possible. We have been caught this way and found it necessary to put another shift on to the blades in order to get the corn cut with little loss.

Corn which is cut on the green side should be allowed to lie on the ground for a day or so before putting it into the silo or stock. Drying the corn for a short time this way makes sweeter silage than when silaged too green. If stacked too green there is some chance of it moulding in the stock.

If a farmer has but a small patch of corn it may be cut by hand. The grain binder will handle corn of medium height quite satisfactorily. If a large amount of heavy corn is to be cut it is better to have a corn binder. The bundles should be made rather small which makes them easier to handle.

There is some difference of opinion as to the size to make the stacks. We prefer a fairly large stack made up of about 40 bundles, if the corn is to be left in the field until fed. In making these stacks we use a sort of "stooking jack" which consists of a 2 1/2 pole about 10 feet long, sharpened at one end and with a cross piece at the top. This is thrust into the ground and two men place the bundles around it. This is then moved after a start has been made. When finished, the bundles should be firmly compressed together towards the top by running a light rope with a ring on the end of it around the stack and then tie with binder twine. A stook put up in this manner will stand indefinitely with very little waste.

In order to overcome the difficulty of getting the corn out of snow covered stacks, the corn when well cured and before the snow comes may be baled in and put into stacks. These stacks should be built fairly narrow and a layer of straw or hay put in between every layer of bundles. They can also be run through a cutting box, mixed with green feed or straw, and blown into the lot.

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Minard's Liniment for the Grippe

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Great Britain has a bootlegging problem, says the Westminster Gazette, which may necessitate the adoption of special measures. The trouble arises from the fact that the price of spirits in France is only about half that in Britain, where the duty is very high. This encourages smugglers to run contraband spirit across the English Channel in small motor boats and land them on unfrequented parts on the English coast, whence they are taken to London and other large cities in motor lorries. These ventures are financed substantially and bring big profits, according to the paper.

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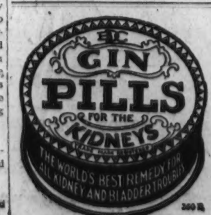


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Local and General

Mrs. Ivor Lewis left to-day noon for Calgary, en-route to Cranbrook, B.C., where she will visit with her sister for a short time.

The Crossfield and District Board of Trade will hold the next regular meeting in Havens Hall, Monday evening, March 9th, at 8.30 p.m. A large attendance is particularly requested and ladies are specially invited. Mr. J. A. Eoll, special Alberta delegate to the International Convention of Commercial Travellers, in London, England, last year, will speak on Wenbley Exposition. He has some very interesting items to relate in connection with the Exhibition which should prove of interest to everyone. Mr. Eoll has been well received everywhere he has spoken. Other business of importance will be transacted at this meeting. Let us have a large get together crowd. An Entertainment programme will be given and lunch will be served during the evening.

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4. You shall get help from your nearest City or Village to build good roads, so you may easily haul our goods from the depot; do not ask help from us--we don't help to build good roads.
5. You may buy Church, Bells and Altar utensils from us, and send the money in advance--that's our rule.
6. You shall get all the help you can from the business men in your neighbourhood. Although we may have more profit from you than they have it is against our rules to give to your churches.
7. You shall convert your neighbours also to your faith in us for we have room for more money.
8. You shall look at the pretty pictures in our catalogue as often as you can, so as to strengthen your desire for things you do not need, but which you may order with other goods to save freight. Send us all of your ready cash so that you may not have any left to buy necessities from your home dealers.
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NOTICE

To Creditors and Claimants.

In the Estate of George Henry James, late of Crossfield, Alberta, Farmer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of said George Henry James, who died on the 10th, January, 1925, are required to file with the undersigned solicitor for the executor of his will, by the 9th, April, 1925, a full statement duly verified, of their claims and of any securities held by them, and after that date the executor will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been filed, or which have been brought to his knowledge. Dated 5th, March, 1925.

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